

HOUSE BILL 402

By Keisling

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 11;
Title 47 and Title 55, relative to off-highway
vehicles.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-8-101(12), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting instead the following:

(12) "Class I off-highway vehicle" means a motorized vehicle with not less than four (4) nonhighway tires, nor more than six (6) nonhighway tires, whose top speed is greater than thirty-five miles per hour (35 mph), that is limited in total dry weight up to three thousand five hundred pounds (3,500 lbs.), that is eighty inches (80") or less in width measured from the outside of the tire rim to the outside of the tire rim, and that has a nonstraddle seating capable of holding at least two (2) but no more than four (4) passengers and a steering wheel. "Class I off-highway vehicle" includes mini-trucks;

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 11-11-203(3)(B), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting instead the following:

(B) A motorized vehicle with not less than four (4) nonhighway tires, nor more than six (6) nonhighway tires, that is limited in total dry weight up to three thousand five hundred pounds (3,500 lbs.), and is eighty inches (80") or less in width measured from the outside of the tire rim to the outside of the tire rim;

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 47-25-1902(1), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting instead the following:

(1) "All-terrain vehicle" means a motorized vehicle with no less than four (4) non-highway tires, but no more than six (6) non-highway tires, that is limited in total dry

weight to less than three thousand five hundred pounds (3,500 lbs.), and is eighty inches (80") or less in width measured from the outside of the tire rim to the outside of the tire rim;

SECTION 4. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.